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Inspection of vessels.—Week ended April 30. Bills of health issued, 2. Vessels fumigated, 2. Members of crews inspected, 116. Cabin passengers inspected, 41. Steerage passengers inspected, 77. Pieces of baggage fumigated, 78. Pieces of baggage inspected and passed, 44. Certificates for hides issued, 3.

GUATEMALA.

PUERTO BARRIOS, Fruit Port—Inspection of Vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Ames reports:

Present estimated population, 350.

Bills of health issued as follows:

WEEK ENDED APRIL 30.

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Passengers from this port.	Passengers in transit.
Apr. 24	Mount Vernon.....	Mobile.....	20	.....	1
25	Heredia.....	New Orleans, via Belize.....	15	15	11
28	Belize.....	Mobile, via Belize.....	19	1	.....
29	Fjell.....	New Orleans, via Belize.....	22	.....	.....

Temperature of all passengers taken.

WEEK ENDED MAY 7.

May 2	Cartago.....	New Orleans, via Belize.....	83	19	21
5	Ravn.....	do.....	19	.....	.....
6	Agnella.....	do.....	20	.....	1
7	Director.....	Port in United States.....	64	.....	1

Temperature taken of all on board for New Orleans.

WEEK ENDED MAY 14.

May 8	John Wilson.....	Mobile.....	17	.....	.....
9	Parismina.....	New Orleans, via Belize.....	82	26	12
11	Kilsyth.....	New York, via Cuba.....	22	.....	.....
12	Belize.....	Mobile.....	17	.....	.....
13	Fjell.....	New Orleans, via Belize.....	20	2	.....

Temperature of all taken on day of sailing.

HAWAII.

The last case of human plague at Honolulu occurred July 17, 1907. The last plague-infected rat was found at Aiea, 9 miles from Honolulu, April 13, 1910.

At Hilo the last case of human plague occurred March 23, 1910. The last plague-infected rat was found at Piihuona, 4 miles from Hilo, April 9, 1910.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Ramus reports, May 9:

HONOLULU—Plague-prevention Work.

Week ended May 7, 1910.

Total rats taken.....	873
Trapped.....	873
Found dead.....	0
Examined bacteriologically.....	756
Plague rats.....	0

Classification of rats trapped:

<i>Mus alexandrinus</i>	128
<i>Mus musculus</i>	358
<i>Mus norvegicus</i>	108
<i>Mus rattus</i>	279
Average number of traps set daily.....	1,738

Smallpox on Steamship Mongolia.

Doctor Ramus reported, May 7:

The steamship *Mongolia* arrived at Honolulu May 7 with a history of two cases of smallpox which occurred on board during the voyage. One of the cases developed after leaving Hongkong and was taken off at Nagasaki; the other case developed between Kobe and Yokohama. Disinfection was performed at Nagasaki and Yokohama, and all contacts were vaccinated.

On arrival at Honolulu the steerage passengers for the Territory of Hawaii and the patients were taken to the quarantine station, and the usual measures were carried out.

HONDURAS.

CEIBA, Fruit Port—Inspection of Vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Carter reports:

Present estimated population, 6,000. Mosquitoes are fairly numerous, chiefly *Anopheles*. *Stegomyia* are present.

Bills of health issued as follows:

WEEK ENDED APRIL 26.

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Crew.	Passengers from this port.	Passengers in transit.
Apr. 21	Orleanian.....	New Orleans.....	24	3	.....
22	Rosina.....	do.....	30	2	.....
24	Colombia.....	Mobile.....	18	.....	.....
25	Utstein.....	New Orleans.....	16	.....	.....
26	Grib.....	do.....	21	2	.....

Temperatures on Rosina, Orleanian, and Colombia taken.

WEEK ENDED MAY 3.

Apr. 29	Joseph Vaccaro.....	New Orleans.....	30	.....	.....
29	Tubal Cane.....	Tampa.....	9	.....	.....
30	Bodo.....	Mobile.....	17	.....	.....
May 3	Senator.....	New Orleans.....	19	.....	.....

WEEK ENDED MAY 10.

May 4	Orleanian.....	New Orleans.....	36	1	.....
6	Rosina.....	do.....	31	8	.....
7	Colombia.....	Mobile.....	18	.....	.....
9	Grib.....	New Orleans.....	16	.....	.....
9	Utstein.....	do.....	20	.....	.....

Mosquitoes are very numerous. *Anopheles* are plentiful and *Stegomyia* present in considerable numbers. Tanks are unscreened or ineffectually screened. Cesspools are not oiled. No quarantinable diseases present.